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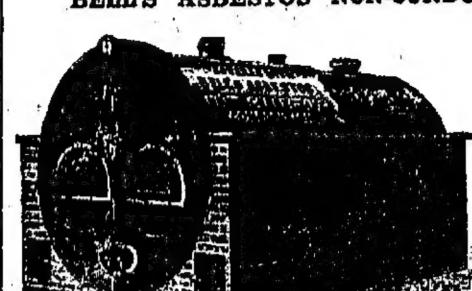
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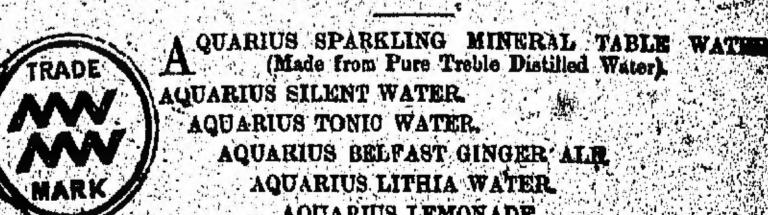
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By Order of the Board, C. MONTAGUE EDE, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, Septémber 21, 1904. 1715

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THE KING'S PRIVATE SECRETARY.

His Majorty has no time for the cultivation of the statelier style of letter writing which characterized the early decides of the last century. But he never finishes a word with an unintelligible syllable, and does not observe the practicated referring to people and places by their inital letters, except in family notes, when he would not besitate to write of 'G.' or 'V.' To his relatives in Denmark he refers to her Majesty as "Alix"; to all others as "the Queen," only in exceptional cases as 'Queen Alexandra,' There are, however, some little timesaving idiosyncrasies which were adopted long ago, and have been perpetuated. Thus a favourite form of subscription consists of the syncopated words, 'Yrs. v. sincerely.' Of course, much of the King's letter writing is delegated to Lord Knollys, his Private Secretary (says the Penny Magazine). His lordship is a remarkable combination of the old-world aristocrat and the keen and modern man of business. He is a spare man with orisp, curling white hair, surmounting a refined and thoughtful face. He has a certain picturesque dignity and reserve about him. In his frock overcost and silk hat he might 1976 be taken for a beau of a hundred years ago spick and spap, and bearing the marks of an inborn courtliness and grace, Those who meet Lord Knollys outside his work know him as a man immaculate in dress, precise in manner and deportment. They should see him in his room at Buckingham Palace. He sits there in shirt-sleeves, cuffs tucked up, dealing with his Majesty's correspondence and other wo.k with a celerity and an astuteness that would docredit to the keenest man of business in the City. The King's Secretary says little. but when he speaks he goes straight to the point. He is a master of the snub in its various phases, as bores and crapks have found to their cost. And yet he has a wonderful fund of considerate kindliness. Some little while ago a London Press man who happened to be the only one of his craft at a meeting where the King made a little speech, went to Lord Knollys with his transcript, and asked his lordship to giance over the copy. Lord Knollys dashed the reporter's hopes by saying he was not present at the meeting. The Prese man was disappointed, for he feared he had made some mistakes, 'Come back in two hours, said Lord Knollys, taking the copy, Hongkong, September 15, 1904. . . 1690 He returned at the appointed time, and found his copy corrected in a strange hand. Lord Knollys had gone to the King himself, and his Majesty had made the correc-

> PHYSICAL EDUCATION IN AMERICA,

Perhaps the most magnificent feature in American Physical Education is the the Government distributes wonderful pamphiets free to all who apply for them at Washington. Professor Atwater is the 151, WANCHAI ROAD.-Light, Editor of a number of these, dealing with Airy and Well-furnished Double and Single food—the value of milk as a food, the value of fruits and nuts as foods, the effect of cooking, the costs of foods in proportion to their nutritive value, the different diets of different classes, and so on-all gratuitous. Professor Atwater himself serves as a good instance of what is done in America. tireless worker at statistics, an inventor of the clorimeter (an apparatus for measuring how much heat the body gives off), he is employed at a fixed salary by the Government to carry out food-investigations, and these investigations he has carried out admirably, without any prejudice. Having a fixed salary he is not compelled to 'puff' anyone's articles. 'The Government pays: or the individual organises. Under him individuals and groups work out, collect, and arrange statistics. Experiments are now being made at various universities; these will be recorded each in its own Government-pamphlet-not a large and dull bluebook of statistics, but a short book with statistics and theories and practical lessons as well. Or consider Professor Gates, a chemical investigator at Washington. He also has a Government post, though we believe that he was subsidised by private subscription. Among his published theories or facts are those in connection with concentration, and the effects of omotions upon the blood and other secretions and excretions of the body. Here are two of his experiments; we do not vouch for their accuracy; we merely cite thom as extremely interesting. Sitting evenly balanced, dip your two hands into two vessels quite full of water of the same temperature. Now, keeping still, send your whole thought and attention into your right hand; that, says Gates, will warm the water and make it overflow, because it 1781 will send more blood to your hand and increase the temperature of it. Now withdraw your thought from that hand to the other; after a time the water will cool and subside; the water in the other vessel will become warm and will overflow. Again, Professor Gates says that he has taken people under the influence of different emotions-sorrow, anger, feer, joy-and has put them in isolated chambers. He has collected their breath in separate tubes; to this breath he has applied a chemical reagent; and the result has been in each case the appearance of a different colour, the result of sorrow being groy, the result of anger being red, and so on, when

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JACK ASHORE.

In an illustrated article in the September Quiver on the Passmore Edwards Sailors'
Palace, Mr F. M. Holmes says:—Many
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Sailors seem quite unable to take care of money when they are ashore, and, notwithstanding all that the Board of Trade has dono-and it has done much-they are still too often the prey of harpies belonging to both sexes who infest the ports where sailors land. The most extraordinary stories are told of their credulity. A certain Jack, 1 whom we will call F., left the pay offices one; day with two five-pound notes and something over in his pocket. He was met by two respectable-looking women who professed to be his friends. Particularly they warned him against the crimps and had) people who would rob him of his hardcarned pelf. 'We know,' they said, 'how hard you have to work for it, and we should so grieve if it were to be stole from you. And the place swarms with them as would | stoal it if they could,' Jack was very pleased with these two respectable women. He thought it very kind of them to interest themselves in his welfare. Would they Offices. take a cup o' tea? Well, yes, they were doing that. In fact, they quiet, respectable place where they would be well entertained. And they would even take care of his money for him if he were obliged to walk through these wicked streets slone, otherwise he would be sure to less it before t nightfall. There were such shockielt wicked people about. So guildless Jack deposited his money with the respectable women, and presently one said to the other, ' Hold my umbrells a minute, dear. I must just go round the corner to see . friend of mine.' But many minutes passed Without her return, and Jack remarked to the other woman, 'Your friend is a long Where's she gone? umbrella, will you, good sailor-man'i Minutes grew into hours, and the respectable women did not appear, and Jack grew very femapicious. 'Hi!' said he to the restaurant keeper. 'Where are those two Polo Ground. respectable women gone? They've got my money ' 'Women?' cried the man. don't know nothing about no women. Pay up what you owe.' And presently Jack found himself in the street with only a couple of old mbrellas in exchange for his ton or twelve pounds of money. said he, this shall be a lesson to me, no Many men say that, but forget the resolve at the close of their next voyage. Lick F., however, did not forget, and he tured over the proverhial new leaf, and

Another New Cruiser.

kept it fairly white and clean.

The drawings for a new armoured cruiser, fr which provision was made in the shipbuilding vote for the current year, were received at Pembroke Dockyard on Aug. 31. The thip will be me delled on the name general lines as the valsals of the Doke of Edinburgh class, but will be of rate Rental. lighter build and protected with this ner Armour, though designed to carry a heavier armament She will be 490 feet long, and will have on hourd eight 9,2 breachloading guns as against tix our of that size to be ! carried on the Doke of Edinburgh.

MR MICAWBER'S DESCENDANTS. No pinetienth century pirsonage has bequesthed a more numerous progeny to the twentieth c plary than Mr Wilkins Vicawher, the man who was always ' wai'in for something | to turn up.' As with the progenitor, so with the progeny-they income notting themes'ves, Board. but weit for something to turn up. Theirs is a career of patience. They live upon hope and die fasting? Mr Creil R odes was in no way related to the Micawher family. He came to South Africa to make his fortune, and not being content to wait until something turned up turned up something himself, and a very good to n up it was, viz , dismords When Mr Rhedes left England to seek I is fortune here he had youth on his side, but not good health. How he succeeded in winning go d heath and an immense fortu e ell the world knows. But note that the good benith came first. That is the natur I, the in vishle order : braith first, and wealth secon', third, four h, perhaps not at a'l -but hea'th first, alongs What is the metter with the Micawher for ily that accounts for their failure in everything they at dertate? Of maio laziness, you say Yes, truly; but why chronically lany? We will undertake to diagness the novelisi's great creation, and sa crt with ren fid no that Mr Micawher suffered from indigestion. That theory at once accounts for his love of ease, his want of energy, and fetal

habit of letting the world slide. 'For many years,' writes Mr Veeluda Rossouw (who lives back of Saville Engineering Works, Jeppes Town, Johann sburg), in a letter dated | D UBLE CHINESE HOUSES, at April 4th, 1904. I saffered from acute in- Mong Kok Tsut. digestion. All the symitems of that distressing complaint were present, some of them in a very eggravated form. From time to time my opretite almost ceased; and when I did sat, it always produced pain at the chest Severe headaches, and pains in the stomach and hetween the shoulder blades, were so incessant that at times I became quite light-hended; specks used to appear before my eyes and everything seemed to be turning roat d.

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For sapping energy, and transforming the matched in a catalogue of all the diseases. The from painful experience is legion. Here is SPACIOUS GODOWN, another of them—Mrs B. Scoble, of Commission—PRAYA EAST. or Street, Johannesburg—who writes thus on out proper appetite, and suffered greatly from sleep essions. The doctors who attended me sleep essions. The doctors who attended me said that mine was a case of general debility, but I feer they did not correctly understand it. for they were upable to do me any good. That for they were upable to do me any good that was a task reserved for Mother Selgel's Christies Byrup When acting upon advice, I began to take that semilerful remore, it at once become clear to see that my troubles were in any over clear to the that it is my complete ours.

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Meetings.

12.15 p.m. - Meeting of Hougkong Jockey Club at City Hall. 3.30 p.m.—Fourth Meeting of Hongkong Gymkhana Club at Happy Valley. Miscellaneous,

2.30 p.m. - Spoons Competition of The Hongkong Rifle Association.

General Memoranda.

SUNDAY, October 9 :-Goods per Indrawadi not rleared on this date subject to rent.

MONDAY, October 10:---11 a.m.-Government Bills received by Chief Paymaster, Army Pay Depart.

Noon-Meeting of The Hongkong Steam Water Boat Co., Ld., at the Registered Transfer Books of Union Insurance Suciety of Canton, Ld., Close from this date to 20th October inclusive.

THURSDAY, October 13:--Goods per Coromandel not cleared 4 p.m. on this date subject to rent.

THURSDAY, October 20:-Noon-Meeting of Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd., at Head Office.

BIDAY. October 21:— Noon-Meeting of Shareholders of Canton Insurance Ld., at Messrs Jardine, Matheson & Company's Offices.



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MARRIAGE. Un October, at H.B.M. Consulate-General before Sir Pelham H. Warre K.C.M.C., and afterwards at St. Joseph Churc , French Concession, Shanghai, by the Rev. M. Kennelly S. J. GEORGE DEITZ to GREGORIA RIVERO, both of Shanghai.

On September 23, at Tokyo, the only son of Mr and Mrs Ggo. Knoro, aged 2 months and 18 days. fever. JAMES YOUNG, late master of the Indo-China S.S. Suisany, and of St. Ives,

DEATHS.

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The China Mail.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1904.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

varieties of fortune tellers who hatten upon the credulous public at Home

are at present having a bad time. Mails just to hand show that those prosecuted by the Daily Mail's agency on a charge of obtaining money by false pretences have been committed for trial. Now this is a rude blow to a not uncommon superstition. For untold ages the belief in this science, the idea that future fate is graven on the palms of the hands, has been popular. Aristotle believed it firmly, and India bas had the practice for centuries. is known that many royalties consult chiromancers, and it is quite possible that the practitioners of the art believe in it themselves. But the British law is a wonderful thing, and no one ever knows what respectable institution will come under its ban next. Its touchstone for everything is the passing of money. So long as there is no money! moment a guinea-or a common bob permitting):--enters upon the scene not the most March The Stars and Stripes pious and persevering of churches or Overture Romantique Keler Bela individuals is safe for one moment. Selection The Orchidlvan Caryll Cornet Solo... Cradle SongLange Speaking for ourselves we attach no Belections Reminiscences of all importance to phrenology or palmistry, but we do think the British Law is Mazurka La Countesse'. Translateur undertaking a tough task when it endeavours to root out by Court process beliefs that are as old as the race. It s a difficult job to prevent fools and their money becoming parted.

The betting is about five to two on Mr THE PRE-Roosevelt's return as SIDENTIAL President of the United ELECTION. States. Both

difficult, indeed, that no burly Police-

man, backed as he might be by act

Parliament, will be able to stop it.

dates are excellent men, and it is doubtful whether it is to the advantage of the Republic that a president should Return of Consul-General Scott. be allowed to contemplate the possibility vigorous in impressing his own views. on the course of policy in fighting the trusts and in Americanising the Filitor will probably be the record, in which the president has the advantage of the lawyer. The issue independence has been definitely in troduced into the campaign, Judge Parker declaring himself in favour of independence, political ritorial for the Filipines.

Times, which took the lead in advocating Judge Parker's nomination, hears the announcement with 'a feeling of regret and disappointment,' Down in the islands where the Filipino is known hetter Judge Parker's views are not likely to be applauded. The cry of the Philippines for the Filipinos has been raised there too early. It even startled those who realise what blood has been spilt to get possession of the archipelago. Loch enghslen, is about sixty-three miles At the Government Civil Hospital, longer; then the little brown brother Singapore, on the 7th instant, of enteric can have his turn. If he took up the reins now, he would probably drive the Excise Officer Injured. whole team and coach to destruction. There is not much difference between the positions of the two candidates on the subject, however, only one would promise a lot 'now,' whilst the other would not.

LOCAL AND COAST NEWS.

Macf rlane will deliver the opening lecture dislocated wrist and severe shock. of the season at 9 o'clock. The lecturer has chosen for his subject 'Mechanical Physics' which will be followed by a lecture on 'Natural Forces' on Tuesday evening.

Quarantine Restrictions.

gulations against Hongkong have been withdrawn at all Indian ports.

Making Things Hum.'

An American man-of-war's-man, named Braun, from the Chauncey, set out to a pair of trousers, and a tobacco pouch, 'make things hum' in a Chinese shop in Wellington Street last night. The palmists and other giving the shop keeper a bad fright by the way he was handling a bottle of samshu he out to break up the shop and soon succeeded in doing \$10 worth of damage. At the Magistracy this morning he was fined \$3 for his conduct and ordered to pay \$12 compensation to the shop keeper.

the filter beds above Bowen Road yester- on the China coast, and travellers with him day, resulting in the death of one coolie quickly learned to appreciate his genuine and serious injuries to another. The men worth and sterling character. Several were employed working near the filter bods and appear to have undermined a to leave his steamer at Singapore owing to bank and then sat down to tiffin almost an attack of enteric fever, and though be mmediately underneath it. While they were eating the bank fell down and they ing hopefully of recovery, he relapsed and were badly crushed. They were both died as stated. Captain Young has been taken to the Government Civil Hospital without delay, and one of them subsequently succumbed to his injuries.

Band at King Edward Hotel.

By kind permission of Lt.-Col. Iremonger and Officers, the Band of the 93rd Burma Infantry will play the following in the question you may believe and programme of music at the above Hotel, teach anything you please, but the during dinner, this evening (weather

for Ever ' Souza

Nations'Godfrey GOD SAVE THE KING.

Band at Kowloon Hotel:

By kind permission of Lt.-Col. Iremonger and officers, the Band of the 93rd Burma Infantry will play the following programme at the Kowloon Hotel, during dinner, to-morrow evening, (weather permitting) :-

March...... Soldiers of the King 'Hewitt Overtpro..... Der Koenig's Lieuten Selection The Toreador' ... Ivan Carvil | Snowdon and 'love to all,' or the interior Dance DulcieTovey Selection A Chinese Honey-

Valtz Sevilla Matador Cake Walk ... 'Jolly Negroes' Berger GOD SAVE THE KING.

We are pleased to learn that Mr Conof a second term. It seems that it sul-General James Scott, who went Home might lead a man to carry on his duties | matter in ill-health, has made an excel. Japan. with one eye on the next election, but lent recovery during his stay among the no such an accusation can be brought. Deside Highlands, and that he contem. St. Louis Balloon Contest. against Mr Roosevelt. He has been so places returning to his post at Canton about the month of November. Mr. Scott is one of the able to our Consular Staff in China, and his return to Canton will be pino as to clear himself at once of Hongkong, by whom his departure was mance before November 1. any charge of timeserving. Judge deeply regretted at the time. As a keen Parker is an excellent man free from supporter of the railway between Hong- The U. S. Cruiser Baltimore. any taint of Bryanism. Both candi kong and the capital of the Kwangtung dates are so good that the decisive fac. Province, Mr Scott may be trusted to exercise whatever influence he can bring to bear in favour of the immediate promotion of this railway, without which the future of Hongkong may be seriously endangered.

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LOCAL AND COAST NEWS.

The Kwangsi Insurrection. The Sinusapao publishes the following telegram from Kueilin, provincial capital of Kwangsi :- The high authorities here have received a telegram to the effect that the district city of Loch enghaien, belonging to the prefecture of Liuchou, Kwangei province, was attacked and captured by an insurgent army on the 24th of September. They want to be bosses a little while to the northwest of the city of Liuchou. which is only fifty miles from Kueilin.

A Chinese excise officer was seriously injured, on the 6th instant, by falling from the upperfloor of a matched, a distance of about 30 feet. The excise officer, in company with a number of others, had visited the matshed for the purpose of executing a warrant and while climbing up a narrow adder slipped and fell to ground. He was pleked up by his companious and taken to the Government Civil Hospital where he To-night, at the Sanitary Institute, Dr | was admitted for treatment suffering from a

A Scanty Wardrobe.

A very abashed coolio appeared in the witness box at the Magistracy this morning attired in a sweat cloth, a sugar bug, and an open waistcoat. The bag he carried in his hand and used to the best advantage to The Colonial Secretary has received a bide his nakedness, but notwithstanding telegram from the Secretary to the Govern- this he was very ill at case and did not care ment of India to the effect that plague re- to face the Court in such an unconventional garb. It was shown that the coolie was a sugar worker, and, as is common with such people, plied his occupation in a state of semi-nudity. While he was at work the whole of his wardrobe, consisting of a coat, was stolen, and, not having the means Japan. After to purchase a new cutfit, he was compelled to appear in his working costume. The man charged with the theft of the clothes was discharged, there being no direct evidence against him.

Death of Captain Young.

We regret to have to announce the death of Captain James Young, of the a.s. Suisang, which took place at Singapore, to-day. Captain Young was one of the A land slip occurred in the vicinity of best and most favourably known skippers voyages ago Captain Young was compelled wrote letters to friends in Hongkong speakin the East since about 1880 and has been connected with Messrs Jardine, Matheson 'and Co's firm most of the time. He made hosts of friends, and few, if any enemies. He was always cheery and jovial and was pover backward in extending a helping hand to any friend who might be in need. His loss will be mouraed by many.

GENERAL NEWS.

In order to stop the leakage of important documents, the Waiwupu now divides them up among several clerks, each one being given only a portion to copy.

Sir Thomas Sutherland, Chairman of Directors of the P. & O. Company, intimated to the French authorities in September that unless the strike at Marseiller speedily ended, the P. & O. steamers wil abandon that port for Genea,

A St. Petersburg correspondent says that during the ten days's fighting before Liaoyang the condition of the suldiers both armies was pitiable. Many of the Japanese prisoners were starving and almos naked when captured, which speaks volume: for Japanese endurance.

The art of letter writing may speedily Tilt become extinct. A view of the summit of of Rouen Cathedral and 'all well,' about represents the amount of news to be gleaned from friends and relatives at pre- are within call. sent on their travels .- Lady's Pictorial.

The Tokio Nichi Nichi, which is owned by Baron Ito, has made charges of fraud against Count Matsukata and Count Inouy in connection with the Imperial Relief Association. The two Counts declare that they have broken off their friendship with Baron Ito. This is the first sensational libel case with any social significance in

Mr. Tomlinson, who is one of the two competitors in the balloon contest from St Louis to Washington for a prize of five thousand dollars, landed recently, having put only two hundred miles to his credit. He will, however, win the prize unless his opponent, Mr Meyers, beats his perfor-

The U. S. 2nd class cruiser Baltimore is on her way to the Philippines to strengthen the fleet there. She is an armoured cruiser of 4,413 tons and carries ten guns. An interesting point about her is that she

Spanish-American war a shell entered her

ward-room and set the fittings on fire,

This brought about the change referred to.

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TELEGRAPH. BY

(OHINA MAIL'S EXOLUSIVE BERVIOE.) SUPPLIED BY BRUTER ON BOMBAY.

[Received on October 6, at 7.30 p.m.] THE RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR.

/ PORT ARTHUR AGAIN ATTACKED.

Japanese Repulsed with Heavy Losses.

LONDON, October 6. General Stoessel reports that the Japanese resumed the attack on Port Arthur on September 24, and continued until the following day.

They were, however, defeated, and suffered heavy casualties.

and propose to conduct the siege men.

AN ENEMY WORSE THAN JAPAN,

Enteric Fever at Port Arthur. LONDON, October 6. It is reported that enterio fever has

> [REUTER'S SERVICE.] Japanese Expelled From Siberia.

London, October 5. Seven bundred Japanese, who were expelled from Siberia, have arrived

The Russian Baltic Fleat. The Orel has left Cronstradt to join the Baltic fleet.

The United States and the Peace

Conference. President Roosevelt, after making enquiries at the European capitals, has decided to defer summoning a peace conference until the war is over.

-- [FROM NORTHERN EXCHANGES.]

A Contemplated Sortie from officers, and 50 were wounded. Port Arthur. Toxio, October 2. The battleships at Port Arthur have

The Determination of Japan.

been seen firing up, and occasionally are

Toxio, October 3. The Conference of Governors is to take

blade to-morrow. The Premier will declare that however long the war may continue, the nation must remain firmly determined and prepared. fle will express a hope that there will be is feared. retrepchment in local expenses and more

effective administration. Clearing away the Mine-

Clearers. It is stated on reliable authority that the mine-clearers at Port Arthur have been almost all blown up since July.

A Find at Port Arthur. Even war is not without miracles, says the Chefoo paper. . The Russian troops at Port Arthur are reported to have discovered a miniature arsenal in which they found stored quantities of ammunition which will be available for use in present

It is stated that while constructing trenches they came across a cache, evidently built during the China-Japanese war years ago in which had been placed hundreds shoils. It is said that there is a quantity of this ammunition which is equal to what would be used during three months. at the present rate of consumption by the guns of the fortress.

The probability is that these shells will come in bandy, as many of the guns which they were intended are at this day in position in Port Arthur's fortifications or

Latest from Port Arthur.

CHEFOO, October 2. A native junk which left the vicinity of actiehshan at 2 p m. of the 30th Septem. ber reports, upon arriving at Chefoo, that the spring of water supply of Port Arthur the 9th ultime a small passenger steamer, had been destroyed by the Japanese on the 21st September and the Russians are get-September to the 22nd September there tung, was captured by pirates and robbed were severe engagements. A mountain gulled Tserb (?) shan, near Itsushan, had been occupied thrice, but as the fire from the the vessel was carrying to Chaoch'ing, other forts in the vicinity was too furious while the passengers who were unlucky the Japanese had been obliged to abandon it and no fighting has taken place since. The Russian officers and men mostly desire to surrender but General Stoessel checks them by saying that many warships from home are coming to relieve Port Arthur.

GARRISON CHANGES

Sherwoods Going to Singapore. The transport Dilwarra is due to leave on their way to that place fell in with Southampton, on November 3, with troops was the first ship in the American navy to for the Far East, among which are the 87th another steamer, the Kuangau, which they be made fire-proof inside. During the and 88th companies of the Royal Garrison slso plundered. Artillery for Coylon to Hongkong. The Discorra is timed to arrive at Hong. kong on December 13. She will leave Hongkong on December 21 with the 78th and 80th TT IS DANGEROUS to (neglect a cold. Communice R. G. A., for Singapore, and L Preumonia is one of the most danger. Will take home time expired men and invaous and fatal diseases. It always results lids, being due at Southampton on January

pore by the Asoca on November 19.

TELEGRAPH.

CONTRA MAIL'S' EXCLUSIVE ARRYICE.] [SUPPLIED BY BAUTER via BOMEAY.] [Received on October 6, at 7.30 p.m.]

WEST AFRICAN RISING.

A PORTUGUESE EXPEDITION

ATTACKED. Over One Hundred Europeans

Missing.

- London, October 6.

A Portuguese expedition in the Mossamedes district of the Portuguese West African possessions met with a band of hostile natives.

The Portuguese numbered 255 Euro-The Japanese admit being repulsed, peans and 244 natives, a total of 499.

The Congo tribesmen were victorious and only 146 Europeans and 99 natives escaped, the remainder-109 Europeans and 145 natives—being posted as miss-

The extent of the loss of the Congo Tribe is as yet unknown.

The Portuguese Government are conbroken out amongst the besieged in sidering the advisability of despatching punitive expedition of 5000 men against the hostile tribe.

[The district of Mossamedes occupies the south-western corner of the Angela country, which is situated on the west coast of Africa. It adjoins French Congo on the north, Congo Free State and part of Rhodesia on the east, and German Southwest Africa on the South. The Portuguese discovered Angols in 1486 and settled there, making St. Paul De Loando, a town Bremerhaven, whence they will embark for in the north, the capital. The natives are black, but are distinguished from the other tribesmen by the marked superiority of their physical development. They are well limbed and have regular features, and bear a general resemblance to the Portuguese. The Portuguese garrison at Leands consistsof about 600 men and a cavalry corps, besides native troops .- ED., C.M.

OFFICERS KILLED.

A Reuter's telegram says :--LONDON, October 5. A Portuguese detachment of 499 men, operating in Mossamedes country, was surprised while crossing the Cunene river by Cuanhamas, 254 were killed, including 15-

CHOLERA IN RUSSIA.

AN EPIDEMIC FEARED.

LONDON, October 6. The Morning Post's Moscow corres-. pondent states that an epidemic of Asiatio Cholera, following the usual line of approach along the Volga River,

> [REUTER'S SERVICE.] Mr Balfour in Edinburgh.

EONDON, October 5. Mr Balfour in his speech at Edinburgh proposed that representatives of the selfgoverning colonies, India and Britain, should meet and discuss in the most free manner, unbound by special instructions, whether Fiscal Union recommends itself to them, and if so how it can be carried out; they must expressly understand that the decisions arrived at such a conference will be submitted to the respective electorates.

The Tibet Treaty.

In regard to the Lhassa agreement, the India Office states that the convention still waits the ratification of the Viceroy. The terms are not yet finally settled.

PIRACY ON THE WEST RIVER.

Passenger Steamers Captured.

A Canton letter at Shanghai states that owing to the inefficiency of the Chinese pland payal forces pirates in the West river and other inland water courses are getting more daring and audacious than ever. On called the Kuang Heng, which runs between ting water by digging wells. From the 19th Wachow, Kwangsi, and Chaoching Kwang. of several thousand dollars treasure which

> Again on the 13th ultimo another steamer called the Taihang while on her way from Wuchou to another port was captured near Pingnanhsien and everything valuable on board was taken away by the pirates. The latter made the captain of the steamer take them to a place called Tenghsien and while

All the pirates are yet at large, no visible

FRIEND IN NEED IS A FRIEND INDEED .- That is exactly what will quickly cure a cold and perhaps pre. The Avera is due to leave Colombo on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy 14. It is the vent an attack of pneumonic. It is in fact. November 8 with the 2nd Battalion of the mother's help when she is suddenly swakmaking the promise to them now to is antiseptic and when applied to cuts, become famous for its curse over a large ted in Ceylon. Hongkong and Tient-in, cough, and labored breathing of her babe, braises, burns or scalds, heats such wounds part of the civilized world. It counteracts and is timed to arrive here on November. It is the safe resort of youth or adult when prudently be done. Naturally many by any other treatment, and, unless the inAmerican papers are kicking against jury is very severe, will not leave a scar. reliable a remedy on he had for a trifle?

Without maturation and in less time than any tendency of a cold toward pneumonia. 17.

Can you afford to neglect your cold when so papers are kicking against jury is very severe, will not leave a scar. reliable a remedy on he had for a trifle?

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American papers are kicking against jury is very severe, will not leave a scar. reliable a remedy on he had for a trifle? For sale by All Dealers; WATKING & Co., For sale by All Dealers; WATKING & Co., Foresters) are to leave Hongkong for Singa. | Cures the cold. Sold by All Dealers WATERE & Co., Lad., General Agents,

enough to be on the steamer at the timer were completely stripped of their all.

effort being made for their capture.

The Chinese Admiral Ting, it was long ago reported, committed suicide after his defeat by the Japanese at Wei-hal-wei. He is now, on dit, a military mandarin at Kwang-si. The question that will occur to those of as who remember the lay of ! Poor Cock Robin ' is, Who saw him die?' and with answer may be formulated

'Who saw him die?' 'I,' says the writer, 'with my big eye, saw him die !

At Wei-hai-wei.' There is so much 'I' about this, that no wonder the report should turn out to be all his L'- Punch.

NEW SURVEY SHIP.

Ready For Launching.

released in the morning.

The Fathomer is a steel Tessel, with built here under Lloyd's special survey. and she is of the 100 A1, class. Her dimensions are :-

Length, over all, 152 feet; between perfeet; and depth, moulded, 12 feet 8 inches. is fitted with compound surface condensing engines, the diameter of the cylinders being 17 inches and 36 inches, and the length of stroke 24 inches. Her boilers

are of mild steel and are of the Cylindrical return tubular type. The length is 10 feet, diameter 13 feet 3 inches, and the working pressure is 120 lbs, to the square inch. She has two pole maste and four decks, viz, main deck, lever deck, forecastle deck and bridge deck. She is fitted with many valuable instruments for the survey work she is to undertake, and she has a

ighting purposes. CHARGE OF MANSLAUGHTER

fine drafting room with the necessary ins-

has been installed throughout the ship for

The Quarry Bay Case.

Thomas Hynes, aged 26, an overseer, employed at Quarry Bay, was charged on remand at the Magistracy this afternoon before Mr J. H. Kemp, with that he did kill and slay a Chinaman named Choung Sye, on September 28.

Impector Dymond conducted the case for the police, and Mr H. J. Gedge appeared for the defence.

Dr Hunter, medical officer in charge of the Government Civil Hospital, stated that on September 21 he examined the body of Cheung Sye. He held a post mortem examination on the body and found the cause of death to be a rupture of the spleon. This might have been caused by a blow of the fist. The apleen was enlarged.

By [Mr Gedge-Enlarged spleen, of a asimilar kind, was frequently found in the case of Chinese who died from ordinary causes. Enlargement was brought about through climatic influences and was more than in Europe. In the

the decemend the spleen was its ordinary size and was brittle as a result of the enlargement. Chinese suffering from enlarged spices frequently became very pale and emaciated. There were no bruises on the deceased's was a muscular man and was not emaciated. Witness could not say whether the rupture would have been caused by a slight poke in the side, but it would not have taken a very heavy blow to cause it. The rest of the deceased's internal organs were healthly. Moving the deceased in a ricksha probably. hastened his death but it would not have been possible to treat him on the spot

By Inspector Robinson.-If the deceased had been struck an ordinary blow a few hours before death a mark would not necessarily remain. The deceased's brother said that he accompanied the deceased when he was taken away from Quarry Bay. He died on the way. The deceased was first put in an ambulance but this broke down and he had to be transferred to a ricksha.

with him on the date in question. Between 4 and 5 p.m. the deceased was working and the defendant came up to him and said 'faitee.' The deceased did not understand him and the accused struck him on the side. The deceased at once sat down and witness lifted him up, with the assistance of another man, and took him to the office. When witness and the other man lifted the deceased up the defendant struck him again. Witness was only a few feet away when the first blow was struck and was working at the time.

Thomas Grimshaw, said that he saw the deceased when he was brought to the office also be able to get away. The present by the last witness. He spoke to the deceased, who made a statement, bathed him with hot water and gave him some whisky. and water. The deceased said that he felt At this stage the further hearing of the the total score of the Shanghai team as night. Yours, case was adjourned until Monday afternoon. I 908. As there are ten men in the team

SPORTING NOTES.

THE CYMEHANA. The Hongkong Gymkhana Club will

make another attempt to held their fourth meeting at Happy Valley to-morrow. The held at 2.30 p.m. weather conditions promise to be favourable this time and a well-attended meeting should result. The band of the 1st Battalion of Sherwood Foresters will play a well-arranged programms of music, which should be an additional factor in inducing residents to attend. From a garce at the be no fault to find with the sport. Six events, including the Challengo Cup, are to be decided and a start will be made with the O. S. Cup, a mile and a quarter flat race. Eight China ponies have entered The Hongkong and Whampon Dock for the race and Little Momo carries the Company has completed the building of a top weight, 11st. 2lbs. Pandur survey vessel for the United States' Coast awarded 11st. 1lb.; Grafton has 11st. and Geodetic Department, and the launch while Once More has only 10 st. 2 lbs. will take place to-morrow at 8.30 o'clock. Despite Little Momo's weighty handicap, arrived at. The new vessel has been named the the cardinal jacket should show in front at Fathomer and in her fresh white paint she the finish, although Grufton can be relied looks a perfect picture as she lies on the upon to battle the race out with Mr ways at the dock, from which she will be Brutton's pony. A heavy course will be morrow, at 3.30 p.m. favourable to Little Momo. The hurdle ace-Walton Cup-has attracted five single screw. She is the first vessel to be entries. The most handy pony appears to has been in progress at the Kowloon Docks be the Hon. W. J. Gresson's Glenburn, with an impost of 10 st. 13 lbs. The blue J. W. Graham, Superintendent Shipbuil and silver should lead Muscatel home. | der. and a silver cigarotte case. should be a mirth-provoking item, as Doubles' handicap, the cup to go to the should the Distance Handicap. The lady and the cigarette case to go to the pendiculars 144 feet; breadth, moulded, 25 Gymkhana Club Challenge Cup has half-a- gentleman dozen entrants and opinion as to the winner appears to be fairly well divided between Little Momo, Desert King and Grafton. We think the distance too great for Mr Potts' pony. On a hard dry course he would run well and probably win, but on a track that is at all heavy the last two hundred (owe 15) 6-4, 6-0. yards up a clight incline, with 11st. 3lbs. between Little Momo, and Mr Master's Wednesday. Grafton. Although Grafton has five pounds the best of weights Mr Brutton's pony has

not yet published it is usoless to attempt prognostications ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL. The six-a-side football matches are now well in progress. So far seven matches truments on the bridge dock. Electricity have been played, but the play is not yet up to the usual standard. With each succeeding match, however, the men are getting into better trim and brighter play is forts, and the prospect of being cheered and the silver regime, and the Government the result. Already one or two of the players show out beyond the others, and the players for the Club's first team will be easy to pick. The unbeaten teams are Gray's, Sandford's, Chard's, Knyvett's and Rutherford's. Gray's half-a-dozen have won both their engagements: "andford's and Chard's men have won their first match; while Rutherford's and Knyvett's team have played draws. Sandford's team should defeat Knyvett's when they meet on Monday sext. A good game should be the result of the meeting of for their return or bless them upon their Chard's and Gray's teams on Tuesday next. The positions of the teams are as

many admirers and it is likely that she will

win. The Gamkhana will conclude with a three furlong dash, but as the weights are

Boyd's...... 3 0 2 A win counts 2 points and a draw 1 point

elevens, chosen from the Hongkong Club, commencing at 4 45 th m. C. Deninno, E. F. Aucott, H. C. Gray, C.

C. Hickling, W. H. Williams, R. Macpherson, A. N. Humphreys, R.N., H. S. Kennett, H. L. Garrett, F. C. Hall and do not want to change their system of benefit to them, while the former would see G. B. Macdonald, G. C. de Martiti, A. O.

Brawn, H. S. Bevan, N. S. Brown, J. State. Clark, R. Henderson, E. Humphreys, J. Wemyss, J. D. Harris and P. K. Knyvett.

A Captain's Cup and Pool were played | naissance. last work end, Captain G. H. Nugent, R. A., being successful in both. The first that of opinion nor that of birth, and i posed the coinage of new dollars which three men in the Captain's Cup were :- often think that if people would come were to be introduced into the circulation Burnie 82-2-80; and Dr L. E. Dartnell, arrival had to call on the Residents, not a fixed ratio. In order to facilitate this R.N., 98-16-82. The same three filled for the sake of enabling them to find out operation, it would be necessary, as in the body. The rupture could not have been | 92-15-77, 82-2-80, and 98-16-82 for the sake of making him feel at home close the mints to the free coinage of caused by muscular action. The deceased respectively. Golf has a large following and amongst friends, we should perhaps silver. As to the question of the ratio, here; no less than 34 competitors entered find that young fellows in this Colony this was to be determined by the average for the Cup and 28 for the Pool.

completed; two games only require to be played. Mr C. W. May has yet to play Mr Johnstone for the semi-final, and the winner will meet Mr C. A. Parker in the final. Mr H. C. Sandford was defeated by Mr Parker in the semi-final round.

played between Mesers Parr and Burnie in each man that : and Forrest and Smith.

The Committee elected to deal with the are dead. preliminary arrangements of the Kowloon Cricket Club are enthusiastically carrying out their labours. At an early hour this morning they were inspecting King's Park and finally selected a site, for the use of which they are to apply to the Governor. Mr J. F. Lemm, architect, has offered to give his services in laying out the ground, a generous offer which will be availed of. A meeting in connection with the Hongkong Cricket League will be held this even-

Quarry Bay shipyard, said that he Club-Captain's Eleven v. Vice Captain's Empire of over 400,000,000 inhabitants, it most striking feature in the whole record knew the deceased. He was working to-morrow. Teams will be picked on the ground at 2.30 p.m. On the Cricket Ground to-morrow the

Hongkong C. Club's First Eleven will play All-Comers' commencing at 11.30 a.m. The following will play for the 1st Eleven -Messrs R. E. O Bird, Major A. A. Chichester, J. T. Dixon, W. E. Dixon, Capt. P. G. Davies, R. Hancock, H. Hancock, Lt. P. M. Heath, T. E. Pearce, T. Sercombe Smith, and A. G. Ward.

The Hon. Dr Atkinson will captain the News has been received from the Singa. minds what Isaac Barrow said in his Ho- ment of the land and given an advantage to pore Cricket Club that the following will spital Sermon of 1671. Barrow said :

form part of the Straits Team :- Cart. E. I. M. Barret (M. S. Guides) Messrs J. G. Mactaggart, V. L. Parsons, R. B. Rees, C. W. H. Cochrane and M. H. Whitley. It is hoped that Capt. H. L. Talbot will intention is for the team to leave Singapore by the German Mail of November 14.

RIPLE SHOOTING. The first of the Interport teams to shoot | Meum and Tuum, which have engendered | discussion never failed to keep clearly in off in the Annual Rifle Match between so much strife smong men, and created so view. The latter gentleman in his Budget pain on the left hand side below the ribs Hongkong, Shanghai, Singapore and Pe- much mischief in the world. and it was there that witness bathed him, nang, has been Shanghai. Mr Mowbray Religion would do away with this dis- December last furnished a concrete example It contains no harmful substance and is S. Northcote has received a telegram giving tinction but.

the average per man is 00.8; which, as the | THE SILVER AND OURRENCY | possible is 105, must be considered as good markamanship. The Hongkong team will probably shoot

To-morrow the usual spoons competition of the Hongkong Rifle Association will be The following gentlemen are particularly lating to silver and currency are once more requested to attend for practice to-morrow. Measra Parker, Lapsley, Davies, Lammert,

on October 12.

Dumbell, MacEwen, Watson, F. Penning F. W. Penning, Andrews and Thornbill. In Shanghai there were no less than 5 entries for a rifle shooting competition-The Arethusa Cup. Fifty-two of the entrants shot at the three ranges-200, 500 and 600 yards - the other two retiring. The programme it would appear that there will Cup was won by Inspector Wilson, with a score of 93-31 at each range. Sergeant Johnston being second with the same total. As Inspector Wilson scored more than Sergeant Johnston at the 600 yards he was placed first. The decision was in accordance with Bisley rules.

> Training has been going on steadily at the V.R.O. during the past week, but nothing exceptional has been done. Challenge crew is in training, but the final decision as to the men has not yet been LAWN BOWLS.

> at present being contested by the Kowloon Bowling Club are to be played off to-

> > TENNIS AT THE DOCKS.

For some time past a tennis tournament for a handsome silver cup, presented by Mr The Ladies' Nomination competition tournament took the form of a mixed

> The semi-finals resulted as follows:— (scratch) beat Mrs Fittock and Mr Purvis in the financial and economic affairs of the Mrs Crawford and Mr Henderson Mrs Neave and Mr Davidson (receive 15)

defeated Mrs Henderson and Mr Squair The final between Mrs Crawford and Mr up, would probably prove too much for the Henderson and Mrs Neave and Mr Davison Blue and White. The race seems to lie will be played next week, probably or

INTERCEPTED LETTERS.

Hanakana, October 7 DEAR BETTY.

Of all the brutes enumerated in the This is recognised by the Government to human branch of zoology the deliberate be in many ways a source of no little Batcheldr is the most unressonable and selfish. Unreasonable, because he deprives himself of connubial bliss, domestic comcared for in his old age by a family of loving children. Solfish, because the bread-winfor man's convenience alone, he refuses to

I have often wondered why it is that there are so many men in this Colony who lightly discarded for another, or without take their coffee and roll in the morning, balancing very carefully the probable advanand something else, before going to the Office, leaving behind them an empty room, or house, with no one there to long | question is one that has absorbed the close departure, and I think it will greatly surprise you to know that the main reason Bitchelor Kingdom' is the want of Religion. With the exception of very low both sexes of the British Community of has from time to time been proposed to find the same remunerative employment this Colony have no Religion at all, except establish a gold standard. That, however, abroad, and was, therefore, retained at. that of Mammon and Pomp.

Mammon and Pomp, the gods they your parable of the Ladies Tennis Club. The greater part of the Batchelors long ful, were a measure for the purpose brought A practice match between the following to be 'One' of the selected few of their before Congress, if it would be adopted in countries well below the setual market price of Bombay in the Empire of India and circle and to draw the corresponding salary will take place to-morrow at Happy Valley, I to keep up the show that the 'One of us is that in waiting to reach that 'One of us stage, the Batchelors either become so accustomed to their solitary lives that they living, or if they do marry, marry at an age in the introduction of a gold currency anwhen they are of no longer use to the other blow dealt at the value of silver.

> sound : Je no reconnais aucune aristocratie, the , old standard, and advocated by prepas plus celle de l'opinion que celle de la ference a system on the model of that

I do not recognize any aristocracy, neither | United States Government. Thus it prothe same places in the Pool with scores of who he is and what he intends doing, but case of the United States and India, to would not go about saying that they would gold price of the Mexican dollar in the instead make it their business to marry as immediately preceding the adoption of som as they could afford to do so, mar- the new standard. In order to preserve away with the false-pride existing in this | with the gold dollars. It was also pro-

If, as the preacher says, the British | coinage of that metal, which should be Empire exists by the will of God, and if made the future medium of exchange. behoves the British Community of each on its fattaining a patity with the yellow-Colony to help as much as possible in metal, it would be to a large extent demoencouraging marriage, thus providing a netis d and withdrawn from circulation. future population to carry on the work they | The probability rather is that as a commer-

The prolific mothers of Britain have done depreciation as it has never failed to their best for the Empire, but the supply, do in the like circumstances. As Mr Coneven there, will be exhausted some day, sul Leay points out in his last Report on stantly be able to draw its supply of labour | tween the coining value and the market from Great Britain, and unless the Colonies | value, the coining value of silver to-day take to replacing their vacancies caused by being more than two and a half times the death and keeping up the rule that the market value at the average price of the predominant white population of a British year.' The tendency is still, on the whole, Colony must be British, it is clear that for this gulf to become still wider, sooner or later the Colonies will fall into and as it does so numerous great interests the hands of the race which will become it. Mexico, as the leading producer the predominant partner in the keeping up of the metal, must be prejudiced. Silver

But to come back to our . Dot in the the agricultural and industrial development Ocean. Everything can easily be arrang- of the country than is, perhaps, generally ed here if we will only impress upon our recognised. It has stimulated the settle-

upon, and which seemeth so vast, between | countries. Va t amounts of American thy poor neighbour and thee, what is it? capital have flewed into the country for the Whence did it come? Whither tends it? building of railways and the establishment It is not any wise natural, or according to of various industrial enterprises, and there primitive design. Inequality in things can be no doubt that cheap silver has largely were the by-blows of our guilt; sin intro- contributed to his result. This is an aspect duced these degrees and distances; it of the case which President Diaz and his devised the names of rich and poor, it Minister of Finance, Senor Limentour, forged those two small postilent words, have throughout the who e course of the

PROBLEMS.

as compared with the total for the previous year, whereas on a comparison of the gold values the increase was only nine and a half million dollars, which im-plied that Mexico had to pay upwards of The Scotsman of Sept. 5 thus writes editorially on the silver question, which is \$0,000,000 dollars more for her imports of extreme interest here :- Problems rethan she would have had to pay had the rate of exchange been at the same average lovel in the two years. This, however, is beginning to bulk largely in financial disonly one side of the question. The other cussions. The question has again been side is that Mexican exporters obtained for the sterling proceeds of their sales abroad raised as to what is to be done with China; a large amount of the national currency in Mexico seems to be wavering between this proportion to the depreciation in the latter. Moreover, in 1902-3 Mexican exports inand that plan for giving greater stability to creased, without reckoning the gold the exchange; there is talk of the Argentine premium, 38,000,000 dollars, while if that premium is included the increase was as Government introducing some reform into much as 45,000,600 dollars. From this the national currency; complaints are made point of view, the decline in the value of in certain high financial quarters regarding silver was by no means so serious a matter the working of the gold standard in India; as it would at first sight seem to have efforts are contemplated by the Spanish That the low value of the white metal Government to get rid of the embarrassingand the constant and more or less violent ly heavy gold premium, and it is recognised fluctuations in the exchange constitute for Mexico a serious drawback in many respects that, sooner or later, something will have is, of course, incontestable. Although the to be done to reform the currency and export trade has flourished, and continues banking system in the United States, all those cases the issues raised have an intimate bearing on the future of silver. the case of Mexico. That country has now become the greatest producer of the white

to flourish, greatly in spite of, and even to considerable extent in consequence of that low value, it is also equally true that THE COMPETITION on SATURDAY, native consumers, with each retrograde The finals in the bowling competitions but perhaps in none is this so more than in | movement in the price of silver, have to commencing at 2.30 r.m. Ranges 200, pay more dearly for the commodities which | 500 and 600 Yards, 7 Shots and a Sighter are purchased in foreign countries. It may also be that, weighing the advantages with disadvantages, the balance may be on the metal in the world, having at last got ahead adverse side. Then, again, there is the of the United States in this respect. In further unquestionable fact that a violent-1903 the output amounted to the unprely fluctuating state of the exchange acts cedented total of 60,000,000 ounces, being even course of international trade. Still upwards of 36 per cent. of the aggregate Mexican trade with foreign countries has -pamely, 166,00,000 ounces-for the grown and flourished in a remarkable degree in spite of this drawback. When, whole world. That is nearly double the lowever, we turn to the effect of the output in 1891, when it amounted to 33,400, depreciation of silver on the national finan-600 ounces. How great a part silver plays | ces, no room is left for doubt as to its being niurious, the broad fact being that while the Government receives its revenue in country is illustrated by the fact that silver silver, it has large foreign obligations which forms 25 per cent, of the total value of it has to discharge in gold, to obtain which it has to make a heavy sacrifice by reason the exports. It will, therefore, be readily of the high premium it has to pay for it in gathered from this one fact alone how great- the national currency. What this means to ly Mexico is dependent on the fortunes of the Treasury will be gathered from the fact that the sterling debt amounts to the white metal and to what an extent her £22,000,000, which requires for its annual interests must be affected by its further service, roughly, 6,000,00 dols. gold per depreciation. As silver is the basis of the annum, while the present value of the silver dollars is about 26d., in contrast with its national currency, the fluctuations which par value of 48d. A few years ago when occur in its value are at once reflected in the silver dollar stood at 23d., the interest on the debt shearbed 6,900,000 dols, in the exchanges with gold-using countries. gold, and 14,400,000 dols, in silver, a difference to the Treasury of 7,500,000 dols. in silver, which represented the loss in exembarrassment. On the other hand, imcharge alone. In view of such a condition of affairs, it can be well understood that, mense strides have been made by the fearing a possible reversion to the former national industries and commerce under low range of value, the Mexican Government should be anxious to devise means by which to escape from its inconvenience. finances have year by year attained to a In submitting his financial statement for ning arrangements, being entirely framed more prosperousand solid basis. Acurrency the financial year 1896-1897, when the system under which so much has been sucwhite metal was in a much more depressed condition than it is at present, Senor cessfully achieved cannot be expected to be

for 1902-8 increased 40,000,000 dollars

Limentour took a by no means despairing view of the situation and prospects. Money was then very abundant in Mexico. and this he traced to the growing knowledge of the natural resources of the country, the more minute exploration of the soil, the great increase of easy and cheap means of communication, the improvement in labour-saving appliance, and can find as being the cause of our subject of the recommendations made by the the impetus it had given to the mining industry. Owing to the depreciation of silver, the money of home investors did not home and used in the exploitation of local by the agricultural interests, the latter free coinage suspended, is a question that

will require the most careful consideration

BY WHARF AND WAVE

of the Government.

The National Monetary Commission were How great Waldeck-Rousseau's words svers to the immediate introduction of The American torpedo boats Bainbridge, introduced into the Philippines by the in port yesterday from Shanghai where Captain Nugent, 94-15=79; Mr C. M. G. round again to those days when each new and maintained at a parity with gold at they left on October 6 The survey of the s.s. Agincourt is not yet completed. The ship is hadly strained and the job of repairing her promises to be a big one. It is futile to attempt to The Drew Farewell Cup is now almost never marry a Colonial girl; but would foreign markets during the ten years estimate the gost of repairs yet. The whole of the vessels reported as one of the Colony's faires, the parity between the two metals it was arriving in the harbour this morning were I they had not left a girl behind them, recommended to cease coining gold until Religion is the only power that will do the silver dollars circulated at a parity with the exception of the Coptic, and Bengal. war craft. The Siries arrived from Mirs The final in the Profession Pairs is to be Colony, and bring about that sense of duty posed that in the event of silver rising in price, thereby enhancing the dollar to Bay and made fast to a buoy in the man-By law of Nature we are bound to marry, or over the parity with gold, silver dollars That ours may live, when we ourselves should be withdrawn and demonstise and the gold standard introduced with free

tages and disadvantages of a change. The

attention of the Government, but no decision

has apparently been yet come to on the

Mexican National Currency Committee. It

would be a dangerous experiment, and

face of the opposition which would be offer-

claiming that a low exchange is of direct

of-war anchorage, while the French cruiser Froude, Jareline, and Monsquet also camo in from Shanghai, Amoy, and Ningpo re-British Empire can only be governed is extremely doubtful if silver would so and maintained by British People, I think rise in value when it became known that spectively, The examination of Chinese pilots, at the Harbour Office, yesterday, resulted in four candidates being told to try again in cial commodity it would suffer a further fortnight. The men were catechised on variety of subjects to test their knowledge Li Chow, an earth coolie employed at The match arranged by the Craigengower If the British Race is to eway over an the Trade of Vera Cruz for 1903 :- The of local signals, lights, safe anchorages, positions of buoys, seamanship, etc., but A all failed to satisfy the examiners that the possessed the requisite knowledge. Candidates are required to produce certificates of sobriety, and to be able to show that they had some experience affest.

> WEATHER REPORT. has played a much greater part in fostering The following notice is issued by the Hongkong Observatory:-On the 7th at 10.50 a.m. The barometer has risen at all stations, but more particularly in the north of Japan. That distinction which thou standest outside produce market with gold standard The greatest pressure is over the Yangtse va ley and the least to the castward of the Philippine group. Fresh to strong NE. monsoon will prevail along the entire coast of China and over the greater part of the China Sea. Forecast :- Fresh E. to NE. winds.

> > LINGERING COUGH may result in consumption. Chamberlain's Cough statement made to the Federal Congress in Remedy cures coughs, cokis and influenza-Hubby calls me. Good of one of the disadvantages suffered by pleasant and safe to take. For sale by All Mexico owing to the fall in the exchange, Dealers; WATKINS & Co., Ltd., General showing that the silver value of the imports | Agents.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

the Goods of DORABJEE NOWRO-JEE, late of Bombay, in the Empire of India and formerly of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, deceased.

MOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the OHAZALON Honourable the Chief Justice has in resources. To this extent the fall in the Virtue of Section 58 of Ordinance No. 2 of adore, are the great hindrances to marriage, fraught with too great risks to warrant its value of the metal was not an unmixed evil . 1897, made an Order limiting to the sixth and the devotion to them easily explains being adopted offhand. Indeed, it is doubt. At the same time the low value of the day of January, 1905, as the time for Crecurrency kept the cost of labour in relation ditors to send in their claims against the to the cost in other silver producing Estate of DORABJEE NOWROJEE late of the metal, and stimulated production formerly of Victoria in the Colony of Honginstead of checking it; and as we have seen kong, who died on the 7th day of July. style demands, and the consequence of this ed, not only by the great silver interest, but the cutput last year was the largest on 1904, at Bombay, aforesaid Probate of whose record. What will be the effect on the Will was granted by the Supreme Court of industry if a gold standard be adopted and Hongkong, on the 15th day of September, 1904, to ISMAIL PILLAY MADAR and DHUNJEEBHOY DORABJEE both of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, aforesaid two of the Executors named in the Will of the said DORABJEE NOWROJEE

> Notice is also given that all such claims are to be sent in writing to the Undersigned prior to the said 6th day of January, 1905, Barry, Chauncey, Decatur, and Dale arrived or no notice will be taken of them. All persons indebted to the above estate are requested to make immediate payment to the Undersigned

decessed.

Dated the 6th day of October, 1904. JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER, 8, Des Vœux Road Central, Hongkong. Solicitors for the Executors.

RE JANET ROSE HARMON DECEASED.

LL Persons having any Claims against A the Estate of JANET ROSE HAR-MON, late of Oakwood Court, Kensington, London, Widow (formerly of Hongkong) who died on the 26th August, 1904, are MOKA COFFEE (Extra requested to send particulare thereof to us and all persons owing any moneys to the Montcolm, and the French torpedo-boats said Estate are requested to pay the same to us forthwith

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Superintendent, Hongkong, September 24, 1904. 1744

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Superintendent. Hongkong, October 6, 1904,

E. A. HEWETT.

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Hongkong, May 20, 1904.

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Shanghal, -Sheung Hai Chung Tan Japan,-Yut Poon Parsley,-Kun Cho ... Gradus Pes, -Ho Lan Tau... Green Peas, - Ching Tau Potatoes, Sweet, -- Fan Shu

Shanghal, -Shoung Hai Shu Teal Japan,-Yut Poor Shu Tan American,-Fa Ki .. Foothow,-Fuk Chan Shu Tes! Macao, - Oh Moon

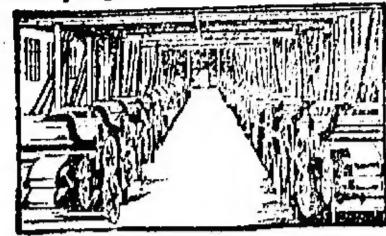
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E, Arnold, Shanghai October 4. October 7. Coptic, British steamer, 2,744, F. H. Armstrong, R.N.R., San Francisco Sept. 8, via Honolulu 15, Yokohama 28, Kol 29, Nagasaki Oct. 1, and Shanghai 4, Mai and General .- O. & O. S. S. Co.

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September 4, Born o. Mails. The C. P. R. Co.'s as Empress of India left Vancouver on Monday of ernon the 3rd October for Hongkong, via the usual Ports of Call,

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Latest Advices. The P. M. S. S. Mongolia, with mails &c., which left Hongkong Sept. 4th for San Francisc via Amny, Shanghai, Nagasaki, Robe, Inland Sea, Yokohams and Honolulu, arrived at her destination on the 3rd Oct. The O. S. S. Co.'s a.s. Jason left Singapore Amoy 6a, 29.83 81 87 NNE 4 o on the 6th Cct., at 5 p.m., and is Swatow ... 98 30.08 73 86 NE 1 c

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